

## IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) Traction mechanism drive, ~~especially belt drive~~, comprising an integrated generator with a traction mechanism roller, which is arranged on a generator shaft, on which ~~[[the]]~~ a traction mechanism is guided, ~~and which the generator~~ is mounted in a displaceable manner in order to set the traction mechanism in tension counter to a restoring force, ~~characterized in that the traction mechanism roller~~ [[4]] is de-couplable from ~~[[the]]~~ a generator shaft ~~[[12]]~~ of the generator via a freewheel ~~[[11]]~~ for damping peak loads appearing on a drive side.
2. (Currently amended) Traction mechanism drive according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the generator ~~[[3]]~~ is a starter generator.
3. (Currently amended) Traction mechanism drive according to claim 1, ~~wherein or 2, characterized in that the generator (3), especially the starter generator,~~ wherein or 2, characterized in that the generator (3), especially the starter generator, is mounted in a displaceable manner by a hydraulic element ~~[[5]]~~.
4. (Currently amended) Traction mechanism drive according to claim 1, ~~wherein or 2, characterized in that the generator (3), especially the starter generator,~~ wherein or 2, characterized in that the generator (3), especially the starter generator, is set in tension or compression by a mechanical spring element, ~~optionally with an integrated or separate damping device.~~
5. (New) Traction mechanism according to claim 4, further comprising a damping device that acts in conjunction with the spring element.

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6. (New) Traction mechanism drive according to claim 1, wherein the tractor mechanism is a belt.